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TO: Minerals File

FROM: D. Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor, Minerals Program *DWH*

RE: Mine Plan Review Meeting, Geneva Steel and DOGM, Iron Mountain Mines,
M/021/008, Iron County Utah

On January 18, 1994, Division Minerals staff members met with Geneva Steel representatives, Roy Benson, Jerry Grover and Lance Hale to go over the Division's latest, December 22, 1993, deficiency review letter for Geneva's Iron Mountain Mine permit revision. The intent of the meeting was to walk through each review comment with Geneva to make sure that there is no misunderstanding or confusion regarding the outstanding technical review deficiencies and concerns.

We met for approximately 2 and 1/2 hours and managed to get through about half of the review document. Other time commitments prevented us from completing our presentation and discussions of the review document with Geneva, but we agreed to reconvene sometime during the second week in February to complete this process. Mr. Benson suggested that we try and schedule it on the same day as the next sludge reclamation committee meeting, which is tentatively scheduled to occur in early February. We agreed to try and accommodate this request.

We discussed the possibility of scheduling another field inspection of the mine site area sometime in early spring to resolve some of the variance questions that are yet to be resolved. A tentative timeframe may be late February or early March (weather and time dependent). A date will be firmed up during our next meeting in February.

We discussed joint participation in the upcoming January 26, 1994 Board Hearing, wherein we will present a permitting status report to the Board. It is our intention to present minor wording changes to the Board regarding the mandated timeframes for finalizing the permitting process, which are presently built into the interim Reclamation Contract agreements. We also hope to have a new timeframe established under which Geneva will agree to provide their deficiency response to the Division.

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